



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Rea et al.

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For: DENDRITIC CELLS ACTIVATED IN THE PRESENCE OF GLUCOCORTICOID HORMONES ARE CAPABLE OF

SUPPRESSING ANTIGEN-SPECIFIC

T CELL RESPONSES

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Amendment

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the restriction requirement mailed January 19, 2001, please amend the referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 16, 20, 22, and 24 through 27 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add the following new claims: